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Few Facts Concerning the Proposed \$800,000 Bond Election.

The election to be held in Medina County, on the question of issuing bonds for \$800,000 for the construction of good roads, is the outgrowth of a resolution passed at a mass meeting held in said county which was called by the Good Roads Committee of Medina County, H. E. Haass, chairman. At the mass meeting which was attended by the largest tax payers of Medina County, a resolution was unanimously adopted requesting the calling of an election. An election has therefore been called in accordance with law and same will be held in all of the voting places in Medina County, on Saturday, the 6th day of December, 1919. The matter of good roads is of vital importance to every citizen of this county it is that every voter shall give this question his serious consideration before casting his vote on next Saturday.

FOLLOWING FACTS ARE HERE- WITH PRESENTED TO YOU:

County Bonds are now selling at par (face value) and can be sold for cash without discount. If issued, the money will be distributed among the commissioners' precincts according to the assessed valuation of each precinct, insuring to each precinct its full share of the funds. Each precinct's portion of the bonds will be spent in said precinct, thereby insuring to each tax payer a fair and just distribution of the funds.

Immediately after the election the voters of each election precinct will select the most able one of their number as a committee-man, and the committeemen thus selected will control the expenditure of the funds, the roads will be graveled, the method to be employed in constructing said roads, and, the voice and opinion of said committee-men will be the controlling factor in all matters pertaining said road-building program. This procedure places the whole matter in the hands of the tax-payers through their committee-men thus selected who will act in conjunction with the commissioners court.

The bonds will not have to be sold at one time. If the advisory board so directs, the bonds may be sold as needed, which method, it is believed, will save to the county the interest on the bonds until needed.

A very large portion of the bond money will probably be used in graveled low places and bog holes and in giving the roads proper drainage. By reserving a large portion of the bond money for the purpose of drainage, graveled low places and bog holes there is no reason why every bog hole and bad road in Medina County could not be made passable, and still leave enough money to level the main roads.

Under the making of plans and specifications by a competent engineer, the work could be done in small unit contracts, thus affording a chance to home men to build units of half mile or more of road, or to repair places provided, same would have to be under the supervision of the engineer according to plans and specifications. This system would eliminate the big contractors and their large profits and would give the small man a chance, provided he desired the goods and gave to the county the money received.

At the present assessed valuation of Medina County, a tax at a rate of 50 cents on \$100.00 assessed, the bonds would be paid for in 23 years. Values are naturally increasing each year and the tax will be materially reduced. If the issue is of one per cent, or fifty cents on each hundred dollars assessed value. At the

end of five years the taxes will be materially reduced. Farms and ranches in Medina County are assessed at not more than one half of their true value, so that a fifty cent tax is in reality only 25 cents on the \$100.00, or one fourth of one per cent per annum on the real value of your property and this sum will be greatly reduced in the near future.

The Medina Valley Irrigation Company, the Railroads, and people who live outside of Medina County are paying one fourth of all of the taxes and, therefore, one fourth of the cost of your roads will be paid for by outsiders.

If you secure good roads your wagon, your automobile, and your buggy will last twice as long. Your repairs will not be one half what they are with our present bad road. Consider your investment and the money you will save on this investment by doubling the life of your wagon or car. Consider the saving in tires and repairs. Also consider the time you will save. If good roads will enable you to save time, and if your time is worth money, then you are wasting money in nursing a bog hole which has been with you from time immemorial and which will continue to be with you until you join the majority of your citizens and support an issue to remedy the evil.

A great majority of the largest taxpayers of Medina County are for this bond issue. A majority of the taxpaying voters are for it. However, it requires two thirds of the votes to carry the issue. The will of the majority should rule and inasmuch as good roads are of vital importance to the business interests, and of vital importance to the welfare and comfort of any community, you are asked to carefully consider the matter before you cast a vote against the issue and thereby destroy the will of the majority of the people.

In voting for these bonds you are making an investment. The interest is paid just as you would pay interest on any other investment. It will be one of the best investments you will have ever made. It will, for a few additional dollars, enable you to reach your markets and trading places at all times and seasons. It will provide a means of the doctor reaching you or a member of your family in the shortest possible time. It may be the means of saving the life of a member of your family for when a doctor is needed he is needed right then and with bad roads it is possible that he could not reach you at all. Good roads will provide a means for your children to reach the school. With good roads it will not be a matter of overloading your teams for it will then be merely a possible overloading of the wagon. A team can haul twice the load over a good road than over a bad one and in less time. A good road places you nearer to your church and market because you can get over a good road in one half the time.

Remember, Mr. Taxpayer, a tax for good roads is the only kind of a tax for which the people receive the entire and direct benefit.

Remember: that Medina County will get value received for every dollar expended.

An all county issue is far better than a precinct issue because, 1st, the bonds sell at a better price; 2nd, connecting roads and bridges leading from one precinct to another can never be satisfactorily met, joined, or carried out without the co-operation and help from each precinct affected. With this county issue should there be a difference of opinion as to connecting roads or bridges from one precinct to another, then the voting power of each precinct shall be equal regardless of whether one precinct should have more committeemen than the other.

A large bond issue is to be preferred to a small one. If the bond issue is small the main thoroughfares only will receive attention. If the issue is a large one the money will reach far enough to benefit every one.



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Shaving Sets, Traveling Sets,
Xmas Tree Candles, Decorations,
Dolls, Toys, Etc., Etc., Etc.

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Bendele-Freeman.

Mr. Edwin F. Bendele and Mrs. Helen Freeman were united in marriage at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Florian Bendele on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Judge R. J. Noonan performing the ceremony.

Miss Fusselman Honored.

Mrs. Marvin Beal entertained Thursday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Glee Fusselman.

After a few games of "42" had been played, Caro Fusselman rushed in and said, "It is raining—come quick and help bring in the clothes"—This caused quite a sensation until it was discovered that the "shower" consisted of many beautiful gifts for the honoree. Delicious refreshments of chocolate and sandwiches were then served, thus ending an enjoyable afternoon.

Those present were: Mrs. Ed Ney, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Geo. Carle, Mrs. Jack Fusselman; Misses Della Peters, Ruth Fly, Nell Wilson, Irene Hudspeth, Nettie, Lucille and Gladys Wools, Leah Flint, Fannie Carle, Bessie Mae Chancey, Caro Fusselman, the honoree and the hostess.

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The Parent Teachers Association will meet at the school building on Monday, Dec. 8, at four o'clock.

FOR SALE—Two white Wyandotte cocks—\$1.50 each. Richter Hotel.

Solve the question now. Go to Fly & Mercer for your Xmas wants, they have an abundance of everything for Xmas.

Cooking Stoves, Holloway Bros.

Notice.

I will complete my course at Tulane University this week and will resume practice in my office at Hondo on Monday, Dec. 8th.

DR. O. B. TAYLOR.

Attention, Sons of Herman.

Sunday, Dec. 14, at 2:00, our regular meeting will be held and the election of officers will take place. Be present.

F. BATOT, President.

Medina County Good Roads Committee.

You Had Better Buy Your XMAS GOODS NOW

We are Selling Them Fast

Come, make your selections now. We will keep them for you. Don't pay till Xmas. Our store is overflowing with many beautiful presents.

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Milk Separators, Holloway Bros.
Cooking Stoves, Holloway Bros.
When in need of painting or papering phone 247. Henry McCall. 19.
If it's Insurance, Any and all kinds, See Miller. O. H. Miller. 47.
Santa Claus Headquarters as usual will be at Windrow's Drug Store. 17.
For the best Auto Paint see C. R. Gaines.

A complete line of Wall Paper. Let me show them to you. H. McCall. 19.
Miss Della Koch returned from a visit to San Antonio.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room with fireplace. Apply to Mrs. H. B. Taylor. 14tf.

BOY'S SUITS—For school and dress, just received at E. R. Leinweber Co's. 5

Pocket Knives, Holloway Bros.
Mrs. G. W. Bennett of San Antonio came out Saturday and is the guest of relatives here.

PIANO—A \$375 piano for \$275—a new instrument, guaranteed. See V. A. Crow. 11tf.

It will be a pleasure to have you come and see our Xmas display. Fly & Mercer. 17

F. Montel Hopp went to Castroville Sunday where he will visit relatives for a few days.

Santa Claus has his Xmas toys on display at Haven's Variety Store. Come and see them. 15tf

Convert your old Ford into a 1-ton Truck by attaching an Olson Economy Truck Unit. See, write or phone us. Citizens Motor Car Co. 23

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Miss Florence, were guests of Mrs. Fletcher Davis Sunday.

Miss Buford Henderson, who is teaching at Nixon, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Henderson, returning to Nixon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watters, Mrs. J. A. Williamson and Miss Octavia Davis motored out from San Antonio Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Fletcher Davis.

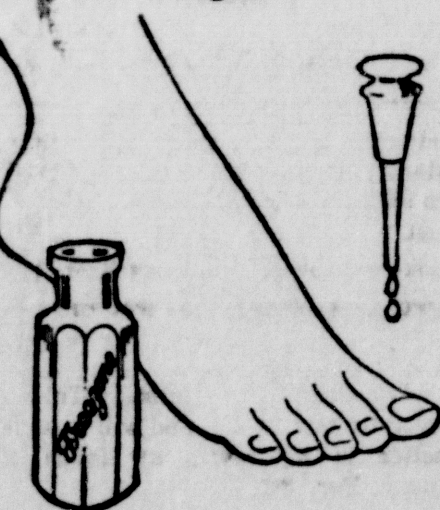
Write your Insurance with O. H. Miller, Hondo, Texas. 47.

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Pocket Knives, Holloway Bros.
Hay Wire, Holloway Bros.
Nice lot of Crockery, Holloway Bros.
Auto tops re-covered at Eugen Hueber's. 49

Come and see the toys now on display at Haven's Variety Store. 15tf
10 per cent discount on "Buck's" wood cook-stoves. E. R. Leinweber Co.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ward were here from Yancey Thursday.

Headquarters for your school supplies is at Windrow's.
Get it at Windrow's Drug Store, Telephone 124.

Ammunition and Guns, Holloway Bros.
Miss Una Gaines visited in San Antonio last Sunday.

Misses Albertina Hornung and Evelyn de Montel visited in San Antonio Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brucks, on Thursday, Dec. 4, 1919, a fine girl.

FOR SALE—Mammoth Bronze Turkeys. Toms \$7.00; hens \$4.00. Apply to Mrs. V. Ward, Yancey, Tex. 17tf.
Mr. J. C. Merriman is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Virgie Benson, at Sinton this week.

A marriage license was issued to Edwin F. Bendala and Mrs. Helen Freeman, December 1st.

Albert Hornung, after quite a protracted visit to his brother, August Hornung, left last Sunday for his home at Port Lavaca.

Dr. O. B. Taylor arrived home yesterday from New Orleans, La., where he had been taking a post-graduate course at Tulane University.

Stop your oil and gas leaks by putting in a set of Double Seal Piston Rings. Get them at Citizens Motor Car Co. 23

Nice lot of Crockery, Holloway Bros.
Mrs. Tom McCall was called to Atascosa Sunday on account of the illness of a child of Mrs. McCall's daughter, Mrs. George Bailey. The child was suffering from diphtheria but when last heard from was improving.

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We are going to have a great assortment of fine candies for Xmas. Don't fail to come and see them if you want the latest and the best. Fly & Mercer. 17

Buy your Holiday goods early; we have useful gifts as well as toys. Heyen Varsity Store. 15tf

Milk Separators, Holloway Bros.
LOST—Some one borrowed a Painter's ladder—round rungs—several months ago, belonging to L. J. McCall. Please notify Henry McCall. 17tf

Mrs. Grover C. Goff, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Bettie Meriwether, returned to home at Del Rio Wednesday.

FOR SALE—One-Ton Ford Truck in good condition. Citizens Motor Car Co. 19

Ammunition and Guns, Holloway Bros.

Shop early and come to Windrow's for your Xmas goods. 17 4t

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Columbia Dry Cells at C. R. Gaines.

According to Cotton Statistician J. P. Lippold there had been 1,449 bales of cotton of this season's crop ginned up to November 14, 1919 against 4,058 bales up to same date last year. The next report will undoubtedly show a greater disparity between the two crops, and 1919 will go down in history as the poorest cotton year ever experienced in Medina county.

WORDS FROM HOME.

Statements That May Be Investigated. Testimony of Hondo Citizens.

When a Hondo citizen comes to the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of people residing in far away places do not command your confidence. Home endorsement is the kind that backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation proves it true. Below is a statement of a Hondo resident. No stronger proof of merit can be had.

B. H. Robison, carpenter, says: "Several years ago I was troubled with my kidneys. I had to get up about three or four times at night to pass the kidney secretions which were scalding and highly colored. I had dizzy spells and black specks would appear before my eyes. My back ached and I had sharp pains in the region of my kidneys. A friend told me of Doan's Kidney Pills, so I got a box. That one box of Doan's regulated my kidneys and my back never aches now."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Robison had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Notice to Cotton Raisers.

Notice is hereby given that for the balance of the ginning season we will gin only two days each week—THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS. Those having cotton to gin will please bear these dates in mind.

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Weather Report

Hondo, Texas, for month of November 1919: Total rainfall 0.72. Since Jan. 1st 39.70. Temperature, highest 83 on 4th, lowest on 30th—6 rainy days, 16 clear, 6 part cloudy, 8 cloudy; thunderstorms on 1st and 14th. Killing frosts on 11th in low places; 30th general.

H. E. HAASS,
Weather Observer, U. S. W. B.

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Protracted Meeting.

Rev. J. F. Eddins arrived in Hondo Thursday morning and began a meeting at the Presbyterian Church on Thursday night, Dec. 3, which will continue through the week.

Rev. J. F. Eddins has just closed a meeting at Rocksprings and the Edwards County Leader in writing of the services states:
"Brother Eddins is one of the most popular evangelists with all classes and denominations who has ever visited Rocksprings."

Baptist Drive.

The Baptist Campaign for \$75,000,000 looks like a glorious victory in the State and in all the South—most of the churches in our district have their quotas. Hondo has about two thirds hers, and is still working. We hope to finish up Sunday morning.
A. S. ALLEN, pastor.

Methodist Church.

Next Sunday the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the morning service.

There will be no evening service if the Presbyterians are holding protracted services.
J. M. ALEXANDER, Pastor.

Lutheran Church.

Rev. Koeppe of the Quili Church will preach at the Lutheran Church here Sunday, December 14th, at 2:30 in the afternoon.

Posted.

Our pastures and farms are posted and all hunting is strictly prohibited. All trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Keep out.
JOHN FRERICHS,
HENRY FRERICHS,
AUG. E. SCHUEHE.

Senior League Program.

Dec. 7, 1919.
Leader—Mr. Selby Woolls.
Subject, "Truths That Jesus Taught."
Scripture lesson, Matt. V, 3-12.
Song.
Prayer.
Talk, "Those whom Jesus calls Blessed," No. 1, 2, 3, by Miss Lucille Newton.
Talk, "Others whom Jesus calls Blessed," 4, 5, 6, by Miss Nell Wilson.
Special Music.
Announcements.
League Benediction.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Sunday, December 7, 1919.
Devotional Meeting—The Birth of Christ and what it Promised.
Scripture Lesson—Luke 2, 6-15, by Miss Selma Stiegler.
Leader—Mr. Sid Carter. Introduction given by Leader.
I. Some Expected a Messianic Kingdom—by Prof. Newton.
II. It Promised Hope to the Despairing—by Miss Florence Britton.
III. The Promise was of a World Redeemer—by Miss Hettie Fusselman.
IV. Jesus' Coming Meant New Inspiration—by Mrs. Allen.
Illustration following this paragraph—Miss Flint.
Conclusion—by Miss Caro Fusselman.
Special music—Miss Nell Wilson.
Closing exercises.

Fishing tackle at C. R. Gaines.

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Reception.

One of the most elaborate affairs of
the seasons was the reception given
Saturday evening by Sabinal High
School Basket Ball team honoring the
Hondo Basket Ball team and the U-
valde Basket Ball and Foot Ball teams
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross R.
Kenney.

The reception room, hall, and dining
rooms were thrown en suite and beau-
tifully decorated with cut flowers and
ferns. Miss Ila Shaw assisted by Mrs.
Louis Adams, Misses Olene Jones,
Dorothy Bost, Gladys Kennedy, Sarah
Wyatt and Ned Bell welcomed the
guests as they arrived. A delightful
buffet course of sandwiches, salad,
crackers, and olives presided over by
Mrs. Charles L. Johnson and assisted
by Misses Mary Frances Baldwin,
Ruth Deason, Dorris Kennedy, Alta
Huff, Louise and Gazelle Williams, A-
line Wilson, Mary Wilson, Ruth Tyler
Eleanor McR yolds, was served, Mrs.
T. E. Wyatt having charge of the
punch bowl. The guests attending
numbered about 150.—The Sabinal
Sentinel.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Editor Buckner and family of Ban-
dera are spending a few days here vis-
iting Mrs. R. E. Buckner and family.

Mr. John Gibbons of Knippa was in
Sabinal Tuesday.

Mrs. Woodrum and Miss Mamie
Shane came out from San Antonio
Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving
with the Shanes.

Joseph Vollmer was taken to San
Antonio yesterday to consult special-
ists. He has been sick for three
months. The typhoid left him
some time ago but he has been slow
about gaining strength. Mrs. Voll-
mer went with him.

Basket Ball.

An interesting game Saturday morn-
ing was played between Uvalde and
the Yellow Jackets, when the Yellow
Jackets won by a score of 25-19.

Much interest was felt in the second
game played that day which was be-
tween Hondo High and the Yellow
Jackets as Hondo held the champion-
ship. The game was quick and excit-
ing and ended with the Yellow Jackets
defeating Hondo by a score of 41-20.

Both visiting teams remained in town
for the reception given in their honor
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross R.
Kenney.—The Sabinal Sentinel.

You Do More Work,

You are more ambitious and you get more
enjoyment out of everything when your
blood is in good condition. Impurities
in the blood have a very depressing effect
on the system, causing weakness, laziness,
nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC
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and Enriching the Blood. When you feel
its strengthening, invigorating effect, see
how it brings color to the cheeks and how
it improves the appetite, you will then
appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC
is not a patent medicine, it is simply
IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup.
So pleasant even children like it. The
blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON
to Enrich it. These reliable tonic prop-
erties never fail to drive out impurities in
the blood.

The Strength-Creating Power of **GROVE'S
TASTELESS Chill TONIC** has made it
the favorite tonic in thousands of homes.
More than thirty-five years ago, folks
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vety softness and deli-
cacy which is delightful in
appearance and pleasing
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the evening its use as-
sures a faultless com-
plexion. Tints: White and Flesh. All deal-
ers, 50c, 60c and \$1.00, or sent post paid
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It has just about gotten so in this
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friend with a quart of booze he acts
like he had found a gold mine.

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bacco—Xanthi, Cavalla, Smyrna and Sam-
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can't be copied

20 for 20 cents

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Our pastures on the Hondo are post-
ed and all hunting, trespassing and
hunting with dogs is strictly forbidden.
We have no room in our small pastures
to accommodate the public, so don't
ask for a permit, for we cannot grant
any.

E. H. POERNER,
13-14 P. C. JAGGE.

Our pastures are posted. All hunt-
ers and other trespassers are notified
that they will be prosecuted to the full
extent of the law.

1,20 CHAS. GRAFF & SONS.

The Public is hereby notified that
our pastures are posted and all tres-
passing, hunting and disturbing of
cattle is strictly forbidden under pen-
alty of the law.

F. J. ROTHE,
W. O. ROTHE.

Our pastures [the western part of
the Gilliam pasture] are posted. All
hunting or otherwise trespassing will
be prosecuted to the fullest extent of
the law.

AUG. E. SCHUEHLE,
HY. L. SCHUEHLE,
BEN DEJOIRNO.

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Our entire ranch is posted accord-
ing to law. Hunting is strictly for-
bidden. Keep out.

C. SCHUCHART & SON, Cliff, Tex.

Hunters, Beware!! My pastures
are posted according to Law. All
former permits are hereby revoked.
Do not ask for a new permit as it will
not be granted.

D. W. SHORT.

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All children troubled with worms have an un-
healthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a
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GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC given regularly
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prove the digestion, and act as a General Strength-
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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, DECEMBER 4, 1919

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Tondre and children, Ruby and Clinton, of San Antonio spent Thanksgiving Day here.

Mrs. R. W. McCauley left Wednesday for a visit to relatives at Temple and Brady.

Lieutenant E. J. De Montel and Mrs. Elmer Charles De Montel and baby daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wernette and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilhartz and family of Biry attended the Tschirhart-Wernette wedding here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beck of Riomedina, Mr. and Mrs. Eugen Jungmann and family and Grandma Hans of Potranco attended the Tschirhart-Wernette wedding here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kempf of San Antonio spent Thanksgiving Day here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bohl and Miss Lorine Pinn visited at Pearson one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmidt were Alamo City visitors Wednesday.

Julius Haby was here Saturday with pecans which he sold to Courand & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Steinle and little son of Jourdanton, Mr. and Mrs. August Bilhartz and children of Pearsall and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle and children of Dunlay spent Sunday here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steinle.

Mr. August Krish and sister, Miss Gertrude, of San Antonio attended the Thanksgiving dance here.

Pete Beal was over from Hondo Thursday evening.

Albert McKinney and family moved to Lacoste this week.

Arthur Grimsinger and family have moved from the Pinguot place to Mrs. Wengenroth's house.

Tom Bendele was here on his way home from San Antonio where he had been with a load of turkeys.

T. Montel Hopp of Phoenix, Arizona, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Louis Scherrer.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Miss Florence, motored to San Antonio Tuesday morning.

The many friends of Miss Leontina Rihn will be glad to hear that she has been appointed Postmistress for the Castroville postoffice.

Miss Lena Stone of Hondo spent last week-end here with her sister, Miss Stella Stone.

Judge and Mrs. Ralph Noonan and two little sons, Ralph, Jr., and Martin, of Hondo spent Thanksgiving Day with George Noonan and family here.

Miss Alice Bilhartz and Pete Tschirhart of San Antonio attended the Tschirhart-Wernette wedding here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schott and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schott of Biry spent Thanksgiving here.

Mrs. Wilfred Wernette was taken to the Santa Rosa hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. We are glad to report that she is doing very well.

Mrs. Mary Wernette spent several days in San Antonio.

A sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steinle, honoring their son, Harry, who had just recently returned from over seas duty in Siberia. The guests were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Bilhartz and children of Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle and children of Dunlay, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Steinle and little son of Jourdanton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steinle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Braden and their daughter, Miss Cecilia, and Miss Adella Reinhart, all of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and sons, Mr. Harry Steinle and Miss Cecilia Steinle, all of Castroville.

Mission Services were held at the Lutheran Church here Sunday, both in morning and afternoon. Rev. Steinmann of Westhoff assisted Rev. Walter Kralik in conducting same.

Inez, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Santleben, of Lower Medina, died at her home Sunday night and was tenderly laid to rest at the Lutheran Cemetery here Monday afternoon. Rev. Walter Kralik performed the last sad rites. We join in sympathy with the bereaved and griefstricken ones. R. I. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loessberg of Lacoste received the sad news Friday afternoon that their son, Paul, had died at a U. S. hospital in California. Definite particulars will be given next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Rihn and Miss Cecilia Steinle were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Charles Marty and family and Mrs. Theresa Marty of San Antonio spent Sunday here with Mrs. Catherine Marty and daughter, Miss Emma.

Mrs. Catherine Marty celebrated her 85th birthday Sunday by having a dinner for her children and children's children. Mrs. Marty is hale and hearty and we hope to see her celebrate many more birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Miss Florence, spent Sunday in Hondo with relatives.

J. J. Rihn and Daniel Biediger were San Antonio visitors Friday.

Miss Leontina Rihn spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Should Be Quarantined.

Many physicians believe that anyone who has a bad cold should be completely isolated to prevent other members of the family and associates from contracting the disease, as colds are about as catching as measles. One thing sure—the sooner one rids himself of a cold the less the danger, and you will look a good while before you find a better medicine than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to aid you in curing a cold.

November weather has redeemed October, but some scary astronomers are saying that December will disgrace the entire calendar.

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San Antonio, Texas
A place to stop at worth while
The Home of all Texas
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Oefinger-Haby.

On Wednesday, November 26, 1919, a wedding of much interest occurred at Castroville, Texas, at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon when Miss Amanda Haby and Mr. Andrew Oefinger were united in marriage by Rev. Father Heckman.

The bridal party entered in the following order: Miss Melinda Oefinger with Mr. Oscar Schott followed by Miss Adelle Oefinger and the groom; then came the bride with her brother, Cornelius Haby. After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents where an excellent dinner was served.

The bride wore a suit of field mouse gray with turban, shoes and gloves of modish brown. The bridesmaids wore dresses of pearl gray satin charmeuse with accessories to match.

The groom is the only son of Mr. C. A. Oefinger and the bride is the charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. L. Haby.

Later in the evening the bridal party left for Hondo where the happy young couple left for Los Angeles, Cal., and other points west. After their return Mr. and Mrs. Oefinger will make their home with Mr. C. A. Oefinger and family on the Oefinger ranch at Sturm Hill.

Tschirhart-Wernette.

Another pretty wedding took place in the Catholic Church Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock when Miss Lorine Wernette became the bride of Mr. Sam Tschirhart, Rev. A. Heckmann officiating. The attendants were Mr. Pete Tschirhart and Miss Alice Bilhartz, Lee Wernette and Miss Elizabeth Jungmann and Harry Hans and Miss Hattie Droitcourt. After the ceremony at the church the bridal party repaired to the home of the groom where a reception was held.

The bride wore a lovely brocaded satin and Georgette dress with a brocaded satin girdle. She wore an embroidered veil and a wreath of orange flowers, and carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums and lace ferns tied with streamers of baby ribbon. The bride's maids were dressed in crepe de chine, satin and georgette and each carried large bouquets of chrysanthemums and ferns. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. Joe Wernette of Biry, the groom is the son of Mr. Aug. Tschirhart, Sr. The young couple received many beautiful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Tschirhart will be "at home" to their friends at the August Tschirhart place.

Splendid Cough Medicine.

"As I feel that every family should know what a splendid medicine Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is, I am only too pleased to relate my experience and only wish that I had known of its merits years ago," writes Mrs. Clay Fry, Ferguson Station, Mo. "I give it to my children when they show the slightest symptoms of being croupy, and when I have a cough or cold on the lungs a very few doses will relieve me, and by taking it for a few days I soon get rid of the cold."

Another reason why the laborer is entitled to all he produces is because he doesn't believe in that principle for hens.

Chamberlain's Tablets.

These tablets are intended especially for indigestion and constipation. They tone up the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They act gently on the liver and bowels, thereby restoring the stomach and bowels to a healthy condition. When you feel dull, stupid and constipated give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased with their effect.

Personally we never expected to put any more money into a wildcat until we can be guaranteed at least a fiddle string.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF MEDINA.

On this, the 13th day of October, 1919, the Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, being in regular session, came on to be considered the petition of E. R. Leinweber and 327 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Medina County, Texas, in the sum of Eight Hundred Thousand (\$800,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate to be fixed by the commissioners' court, not to exceed five and one-half per cent, maturing at such times as may be fixed by the commissioners' court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

And it appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Medina County, and that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Medina County.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the court that an election be held in said county, on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1919, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said county shall be issued in the amount of Eight Hundred Thousand (\$800,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate to be fixed by the commissioners' court, not to exceed five and one-half per cent, maturing at such times as may be fixed by the commissioners' court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said county subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in said county for four successive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto there shall be posted notices of such election at three public places in said county, one of which shall be at the courthouse door, for three weeks prior to said election.

Said election shall be held at the regular polling places, and the persons named shall be the managers of said election at the respective polling places, to-wit:

- Prec. No. 1, North Hondo, at Court House, C. B. Leinweber, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 2, Quihi, at School House, E. H. Hartmann, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 3, Dunlay, at Herman Sons' Hall, Wm. Reitzer, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 4, Verde, at Ben de Grodt's house, John G. Brucks, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 5, Riomedina, at School House, H. J. Bippert, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 6, Castroville, at J. P. Office, Louis Mangold Sr., presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 7, D'Hanis, at J. P. Office, Hy. C. Rothe, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 8, Haass, at School House, Henry Bendele, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 9, Natalia, at School House, J. F. Riley, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 10, East Devine, at J. P. Office, G. W. Hester, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 11, Zig Zag, at School House, Hy. Hardcastle, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 12, Yancey, at School House, J. C. Newton, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 13, Maverick, at School House, H. F. Wurzbach, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 14, Biry, at Biry Hall, Jack Bilhartz, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 15, Lacoste, at School House, Edmund Keller, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 16, South Hondo, at Sample Room, A. B. Brucks, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 17, Upper Hondo, at School House, Otto Sprott, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 18, Elstone, at Gin, L. R. Neuman, presiding judge.
- Prec. No. 19, West Devine, at Adams Garage, J. A. Will'anson, presiding judge.

Each of said presiding judges will appoint one judge and two clerks to assist him in holding said election.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of Articles 627 to 641, inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, and as amended by Chapter 203, Acts of 1917, and only qualified voters who are property taxpayers of said County shall be allowed to vote, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREFOR."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREFOR."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws governing general elections in this state.

A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of said County, shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said Medina County for four successive weeks next preceding such election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof in three public places in said County one of which shall be at the Court House door, for three weeks prior to said election.

R. J. NOONAN,

County Judge, Medina County, Tex

Devine News Items.

BITTEN BY RATTLESNAKE.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bendele were in from the ranch Thursday with their little daughter, who had been bitten by a rattlesnake while hunting for the eggs that evening, reaching her hand into the nest. Dr. Woods treated the wound and reported the little girl doing nicely at last report.

Mrs. A. C. Thallman of Hondo is at Lytle visiting friends and relatives.

Ola and Fred Gray and Clara Mae Barlow spent Sunday in Hondo.

Mrs. E. J. Balmas and son, Elmer, visited at D'Hanis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wiff and Miss Josie Delbrail left in their Overland with Mister Fritz driving, one day this week for Cisco where they will be for some time.

Henry J. Schott brought in his third bale Saturday and will get one more. He has sold 200 bushels corn and has 500 cribbed. That is not bad for a young farmer.

Willie Ziegenbalg was a San Antonio visitor this week. Willie will farm over towards Hondo this year.

Another reason why a man is a man is because he would rather pay twelve dollars for a hat than a two dollar head tax.

MOTHERS OF TEXAS, PREPARE

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, and when a woman passes through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances. Many women in Texas would testify just as do the following:

HOUSTON, TEXAS.—"When I was a young girl I suffered from irregularity and pain. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription relieved me of all pain and regulated me so that I was completely restored to health. Since I married, whenever I have needed special tonic I have taken 'Favorite Prescription' and have been amply repaid for the comfort and strength it has given me."—Mrs. M. FREEMAN, 414 Marie Street.



WACO, TEXAS.—"It is a pleasure to me to recommend a medicine that has been of such great benefit to me. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription while raising my family. I have taken this 'Prescription' as a tonic during expectancy and I know it helped me in every way. It is an ideal medicine for the mother to be."—Mrs. BEULAH OWENS, 313 North 4th Street.

GALVESTON, TEXAS.—"When I was quite a young girl I had a terribly nervous spell. My stomach was affected so that I craved food all the time, and I could not sleep at night. My doctor advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription (sold by druggists), and before half the bottle had been taken I lost all the abnormal appetite and was able to rest well at night. I have never had such a condition since that time so can honestly say that the 'Favorite Prescription' cured me of my nervous ailment."—Mrs. ELLEN LASWELL, 1614 19th Street.

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Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing precise directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for decades. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monocacetic acid ester of Salicylic acid.

STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught acts on the jaded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

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If you are ever troubled with indigestion, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. There are hundreds of people who have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and languid after eating you may know that your digestion is faulty, unless you have eaten more than you should. Belching, sour stomach, bloating are symptoms of indigestion and are relieved by taking Chamberlain's Tablets as directed. Indigestion is usually accompanied by constipation and is aggravated by a gentle movement of the bowels, relieving the constipated condition. Chamberlain's Tablets are also most excellent for flatulency. Sold everywhere at 25c.

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If you do not enjoy your meals your digestion is faulty. Eat moderately, especially of meats, masticate your food thoroughly. Let five hours elapse between meals and take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper and you will soon find your meals to be a real pleasure.

Sometimes the weather acts ugly in Texas just to see how pretty it can be next day.

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HIGHEST QUALITY AWARDS



Quihi Notes.

Mrs. H. Neuman are here at Mr. Neumann's mother, Mrs. Neuman, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Hy. Aden, Julius and Grell and Hy. J. Boehle attended supper at the Murphy school Saturday night.

Mrs. Dirk Lindeburg and Miss Ida, and Miss Lizetta of this place, were visiting at Mrs. Ehme Schmidt's Sunday.

Mrs. John Britsch and Miss Schmale were visiting here on Friday.

Mrs. Louis Saathoff and of Greenhill visited Mr. and Mrs. Brucks Sunday.

Mrs. Grell was an Alamo City visitor.

Willie Boehle and children shopping here Tuesday.

A number from here attended surprise party at Ernest Hartman's last Saturday evening. All had an enjoyable time.

Mr. Boehle made a business trip to Saturday.

Mr. Riff and Hy. J. Boehle made a trip to Live Oak Slough Monday morning to work on Mr. Riff's.

Alfred Breiten is again hampering away at our blacksmith shop.

A number of our people attended the surprise party at E. W. Schulte's Saturday evening and all had a good time.

Mrs. Arnold Balzen were of Luebke Boehle and family.

A large crowd of boys gathered at the home of J. S. Saathoff Thanksgiving and spent the afternoon by playing prisoner's base.

Amanda Grell visited Misses Bertha and Bertha Boehle Sunday.

Edwin Schulte was seen on our Sunday evening.

Harry Schuele of Sturm Hill was visiting with friends here Monday.

Edwin and Henry Lindeburg, Ernest and family Sunday afternoon.

Edwin Schuele of Riomedina was on corn to Dunlay for O. A. Grell Tuesday.

JOLLY SPORTS.

That Dull Feeling After Eating.

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Program Junior League.

December 7, 3 p. m.
Leader—Frances Newman.
Bible reading, Matt. 5, 3-12.
Song, Wonderful words of Life.
Prayer.
Explanation of Bible lesson.
References with the word "nappy"—Hedwig Leinweber.
Bible drill.
Recite Books of New Testament.
Song—Somebody.
Benediction.
Bring Bibles to League.

The Philathea Class Meeting.

The Philathea Class will meet Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 9th, at Mrs. Roland Chancey's. Let all members try to be present at these delightful meetings and answer to roll call with a verse of scripture.

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Riomedina News.

Mrs. Alfred Haby and daughter and Mrs. Louis P. Haby were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Naegelin at Castrovilla Sunday.

Edwin Wurzbach and sisters Misses Hilda and Katy, were Alamo City visitors Tuesday.

Elmer Huegele of San Antonio spent Thanksgiving Day with homefolks.

Alex Haby and family were at Castrovilla Tuesday.

Eugene J. and Robert Schott spent several days at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Wurzbach and daughter, Miss Hilda, and son, Edwin, were the guests of Herman Wurzbach and family Sunday.

Mrs. Nick Ahr and daughters, Misses Mary and Louisa, and son were Castrovilla visitors one day last week.

Joe Adam and family of Lacoste spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haegelin, Sr.

Mrs. Regina Huegele and Miss Olivia Huegele visited Chas. T. Wurzbach and family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haegelin, Jr., spent several days in the Alamo City.

Miss Edna Wurzbach returned home after spending a few days with Miss Cecilia Steinle at Castrovilla.

The dance at the May Flower Hall Saturday night was very largely attended, Helotes, Cliff, Quihi and Castrovilla being well represented.

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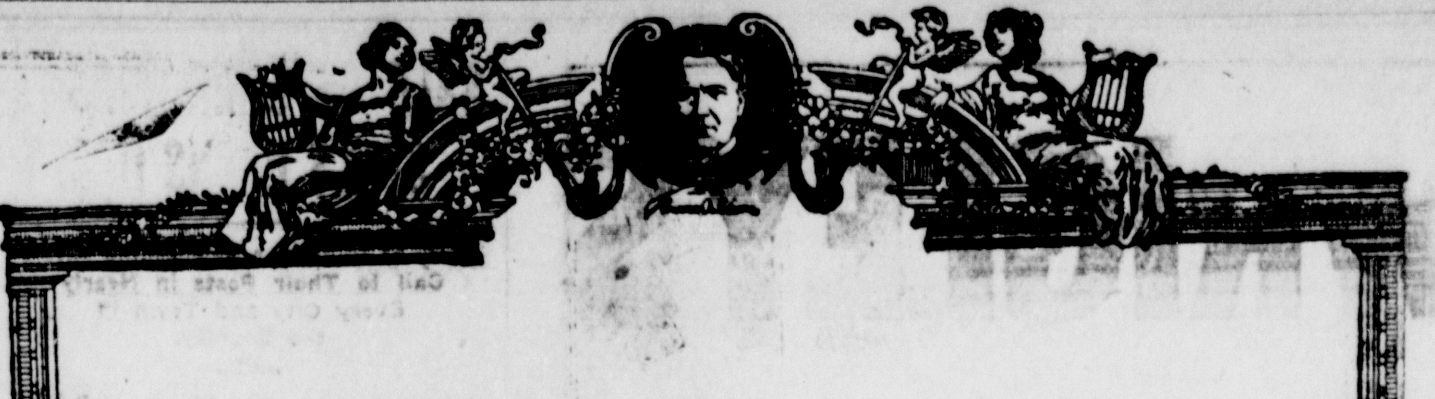
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\$6,500,000 IS THE GOAL

Fund Needed to Meet Expenses of the
National Tuberculosis Association
and Its Allied Societies Dur-
ing 1920 Educational and
Preventive Campaign

The 1919 sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals will begin on the first day of December. With the opening of business on that day an army of volunteer salespeople will sound—"Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals!"—the call to arms in the war of extermination against tuberculosis. The sale will extend through December 10th.

The annual Red Cross Christmas Seal sale provides the chief income of the National Tuberculosis Association and its one thousand affiliated associations which are in the very forefront of anti-tuberculosis organizations. The 1920 programme of the allied organizations calls for greatly increased activities. To meet this extension of effort a combined budget of more than \$6,500,000 is required and with this goal in view the intensive sales appeals will be made. A recent health survey resulted in startling disclosures. Until the survey tuberculosis experts were, to a large degree, in the dark as to the real extent of the ravages of the disease in this country. All doubt on this point has been cleared up and the estimated total of active cases is placed above the 1,000,000 mark. To search out every case of tuberculosis in the country is the ultimate aim of the National Tuberculosis Association and its allies.

Teams are being formed in every community. Business men are forming sales organizations and similar bodies are being organized by former service men.

Q. E. D.

It wouldn't be difficult to convince the average man that greenbacks are printed on flypaper.

Daily Thought.

He hears but half who hears one party only.—Aeschylus.

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Thanksgiving Party.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Boehle on Thanksgiving evening.

Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Saathoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Grell and children, Mr. and Mrs.

John Schuehle and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Balzen and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aden; Misses Lena Graff, Amanda Hall, Anna Schweers, Minnie and Ida Saathoff, Lizetta and Bertha Messrs. Henry J., Joe, Alfred, Ernest, Frank and Edwin Boehle, Albert and Rolf Saathoff, Louis, Julius and Er-

nest Grell, Robert and Otto Wiem Robert Riff, Elgin Stiegler, John Schweers, Otto and Henry Lindebo Anton Heiligmann and Curt Scharf. The evening was spent in play games and singing and a delightful time was spent by all present.

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